

# FORMAL OPENING OF PAVED HIGHWAY

## Representative Gathering Saturday Afternoon Opening of New Henderson Highway — Memory of Former Reeve Honored

The formal opening of the new Henderson Highway, running through East Kildonan, North Kildonan and East St. Paul was witnessed Saturday afternoon in the presence of a large and representative attendance, embracing representatives of the federal and provincial governments, officials of three suburban municipalities and many prominent citizens.

Meeting at McLeod ave., on the highway, near the boundary of East Kildonan and North Kildonan, the gathering, including many of the residents of the municipalities, saw the road officially opened when Hon. W. R. Clubb severed a white ribbon stretched across the highway.

Following the ceremony a motorcade paraded northward on the highway to Lord Kitchener school, where homage was paid to the memory of Samuel Robert Henderson, pioneer of the good roads' movement in the province, a former reeve of the municipality, and secretary-treasurer for many years of the Kildonan & St. Paul's Agricultural society, whose memory is fragrant throughout the municipality he so long served and is fittingly preserved in the designation of the new highway. Prior to placing a wreath on the Henderson cairn near the school, Mr. R. D. Waugh, of the Good Roads association, spoke of the achievements of the late Mr. Henderson.

The third and final episode of the road-opening ceremony was performed at the Kildonan & St. Paul's exhibition grounds, when the long motorcade proceeded after the brief stop at the Henderson cairn. Here Hon. R. A. Hoey, minister of education, presented illuminated addresses to Reeve H. C. Whellams, North Kildonan, and to Reeve D. J. Allan, East Kildonan. Councillor Geo. Kennemore received Reeve Allan's address in his absence.

Speakers lauded the untiring efforts of the late Mr. Henderson, and uttered predictions as to the future